ROOT IN APPEAL FOR SUBSIDY BILL

New Yorker Repliesto Critics of Proposed Measure.

DISCUSSES TRADE EXPANSION

Great Growth, But Europe, and Not United States, In Gainer-Quickly Silences Bristow, of Kansas, on Post-office Statistics.

Senator Elihu Root made an earnest appeal for the passage of the ocean subsidy bill in the Senate yesterday. The Senator from New York was more earnest than usual in the matter, and replied sharply to Senator Cummins and other critics of the proposed legislation.

He pointed out that there was a fallacy in the charge that there was no limit on the subsidy to be paid. The \$1 a mile for the outward voyage was in itself a limitation, the Senator argued, but there was still another limitation. The total amount to be paid under the bill, he said. could not exceed in any one year the profits erived from the ocean mail business in

"Talk about suferidy." exclaimed Mr "Talk about subsidy." exclaimed Mr-Root. "Talk about this measure being for the benedit of private interests. All that is proposed is to turn over the profits from ocean mail service to the improvement of that service. What right have the people of the interfor, of lowa, Minnesotts, and Missouri, to make a profit out of the merchants of New York, New Orleans, Philadelphia, and Roston, and the other commercial interests behind those cities? What right have they to make a profit out of the seaboard cities the other commercial interests behind those cities? What right have they to make a profit out of the seaboard cities by refusing to apply the money received from ocean malls, from the business of these membants of the searchest cities in trying to give them an efficient ocean

Shows Mail Demoralization,

Root read from consular reports other authoritative sources to show he demoralization of mails between the United States Atlantic coast ports and South American ports.

"The failure to extend American trade

in South America," said the Senater, "is due to the failure to give our merchants a desent small service. You cannot expeet South American merchants to pur abover to their betters within a

Senator replied to Senators who the Senator reposit to Senators who had said the subsention proposed would add no United States ships to the South American trade, 'In that case, then, it will cost nothing,' remarked Mr. Root.' It is an experiment, and worth trying.' Senator Hoot lowled over Senator Jo-Senator Root bowled over Senator Jo-seph Little Bristow, of Kansas. While the Senator was quiding figures to show the profits from ocean mail service, the Kansasa insuraent Senator, formerly Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, asked the Senator from New York where he obtained his ligures. "From the Postmaster General," re-plied Senator Root, "How did the Postmaster, Con-

pited Senator Root.
"How did the Postmaster General reach such conclusions." persisted Mr. Bristow.
"Oh, well," replied Mr. Root, waving Mr. Bristow aside deprecatingly, "I am willing to answer any proper questions, but I decline to enter into a colloquy with the Senator as to the value of the Postmaster General's official figures."

REPUBLICANS CALL CAUCUS.

on Reapportionment Bill Will Be Determined.

Republicans of the House will meet in aucus next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to decide upon a course of action with respect to the reapportionment bill. The cancus call, which was being perconducted around the floor the House yesterday by Representative Dwight, of New York, the Repiblican

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YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

The Senate passed the Indian appropriation bill. Senator Rost made a speech in support of the ocean mail subsidy bill.

In a speech of their two bours Senator Paymer defended the report of the Committee on Prayleges and Electrons, declaring Senator Levinus entitled to his seat.

The Senate adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet at

This was raiendar Wednesday in the House This was existed wednesday in the House of Representatives, and the bull fathered by Representative Moon, of Penneyhanta, charman of the Committee on Resultion of Laws, was under occasionation. This is the same measure that has held the right of way gar calcular Wednesday to the excellent of all other beatiness times the beginning of the session. The House voted down in succession three propositions to raise the salaries of the circuit ruless of the United States to \$500, to \$500.

SENATOR PAYNTER DEFENDS LORIMER

Assails Taft for Seeking to Influence Votes.

President Taft's name was dragged into President Taff's name was dragged into the Lorimer bribery case for the first time vesterday. Senator Paynter, of Kentucky, criticised the President for his reported activity against the Illinois

master General's official figures.

Charging that the United States Congress had shood in the way of the degrees had shood in the way of the development of the South American trade, the Senator paid a compliment to the development of the South American who signed the majority report of the senators are Privileges and Elections. Committee on Privileges and Election which cleared Lorimer and declared that he held his seat in the Senate by a valid They have passed from the stage of in he held his seat in the Senate by a valid litarism," said ite, "into the stage of title. Here is what Senator Paynter had They are on the threshold to say in regard to President Taft:

trade of Arsentinin alone is \$100,000,000 a grar, and of Brazil, \$150,000,000.

The senits that had made the United States and the Latin American republies (repeatly).

The people of Brazil and Argentina have responded generously to every overture we have made, but they cannot understand why we do not open direct communication with them.

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INCOME TAX IS FAVORED.

Eleven States Thus Far Have Ratified the Proposed Amendment.

The income tax amendment to the Constitution, which was submitted to the of Congress will be ratified this winter. in the opinion of Senators Bailey, Over-man, and others who have taken an acwhip, specifically provides that this bill tive part in pushing this legislation. Af-shall be the only subject taken up for firmative action must be had by the legislatures in three-fourths of the States to ratify the amendment.

Up to date eleven State legislature t p to date eleven state legislatures have ratified the amendment. These are Texas, Kansas, Ohio, Alahama, Illinois, Maryland, Oklahoma, Georgia, Kentucky, Miss/ssippi, and South Carolina, Only four of these States have complied with the law and certified the result to the ning of period, 10.731.594 ginned, and 60. Secretary of State. These are Maryland. 376 bales imported. Distribution is: Ex-lilinois, South Carolina, and Texas. ports, 4.673.340 bales; consumption, 1.576. s, South Carolina, and Texas.
States have either falled or refused fly the proposed amendment. These outsians. New York, Connecticut, in, Massachusetts, and Rhode Isthe legislatures of some of these may ratify the amendment this may ratify the amendment this Six States have either failed or refused to railfy the proposed amendment. These are Louisiana, New York, Connecticut, Virginia, Massachusetts, and Rhode Is-States may ratify the amendment this

Neutral Zone Established.

The American and British naval com-manders at Ceiba have served notice on Gen. Lee Christman, leader of the revo ten. Lee Christmas, leader of the revo-jutionists, that no fighting will be allowed in certain parts of the city which have been reserved as neutral territory for noncombatants. An attack on Ceiba is expected shortly, according to advices received at the State Department yes-

Positions for Americans.

At the request of the Persian government, the State Department has sugges ed the names of five American fine ed the names of five American financial experts to undertake the work of reorganizing the financial system of Persia. Among the five positions in which the Persian government will appoint the American financial experts are those of treasurer general and director of taxa-

NEW YORK EDITOR CHARGES BRIBERY

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epresented, offered the sum of \$6,000 as an inducement to the Journal of Com-merce to speak out favorably for subsidy

legislation.
Mr. Dodsworth described the first caller as a tail man, well shaven, well dressed, rather heavy of build, of dark complexion, and about forty years of age.
"What was his nationality?" questioned Representative Hawley, of the commit-

"He was an American," replied Mr.

Committee Anxious to Know. Members of the committee showed some emper over the failure of Mr. Dodsworth to track the men who had attempted improperty to influence the editorial olicy of the Journal of Commerce. They questioned him closely, but did not shake his story in any material respect. Fre-quently, during the course of his testiplied that he had in mind steamship in-terests that were pushing the subsidy

Representative Longworth called at-

Offer from Spanish Government. Mr. Dodsworth said it was unpleasant o bring such matters to public notice. It vas not an unusual thing, he said, for persons to attempt to secure the inser-tion of editorial expressions. Mr. Longasked the New York publisher to

ish war, or just below of the have a colored editorial printed in the Journal of Commerce.

The offer was made, according to Mr. Dodsworth through Charles A. Comant, who at that time was the Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce Mr. Bodsworth dard know much about this particular case. He never learned the identity of the representative of the Spanish government who had seen Mr. Comant had advised the New York office of the matter by letter, Questioned in this connection, Mr. Dodsworth will see that Mr. Comant had written, Mr. Dodsworth was not sure that Mr. Comant had written, Mr. Dodsworth will see the final passage of the Indian and the testifying officials. It is estimated that the content of printing the hearings and the various documents which the committee has ordered in the record will reach letter could give no assurance that the letter could be found.

Mr. Dodsworth will so on the stand and the Philippines to testify.

When the Senate was in a hot wrangle with a charge ment of \$5,000 to Col. High Gordon, son ment of \$60,000 to Col. High Gordon, son ment of \$60,000

JUDGES' SALARIES

NOT TO BE RAISED

lows, a reactionary Republican, was nominated by President Taft several days ago to be Federal judge of the Eighth judicial circuit. Representative Norris, of Nebraska, leader of the in-surgent Republicans of the House, was

industrialism. They are on the threshold of a great industrial development. Their rite has been repeatedly stated in substance has risen in a few years to \$1,055, 100,000. These countries only a few years ago were the theater of strife. They have now haken their places among its great producing nations of the earth." The Senator Showed that in a few years to import any other places are already or dissociated. Evidently the republics had increased to per cent, their experts his per cent, and their total trails in per seni. The South American trade is more than treble, aimset quadruple, the entire trail with thirs." sould Mr. Root. "The Its is followed with thir thirs." sould Mr. Root. "The Its is followed with thir third." it is the week special to it the the was suming the third. Its i

tions Committee, earnestly advocated the proposed increase, declaring the salaries at the present time and picturing the impossibility of a Federal judge providimpossibility of a Federal Judge providing for his family and educating his dent.

The publication of the league's platfor year, with \$10 a day on the side for expenses. He contended that the increase his salary would help to keep the judiciary free from taint. Other members, between the properties and Republicans took the output of the provided his still so regarded by the administration supporters. However, Senait ats and Republicans, took the op-

Cotton Supply Shown.

ing of period, 10,731,504 ginned, and 6

Injured Machinist Gets Claim

A bill was favorably reported to the Senate vesterday from the Committee on to Albert S. Henderer, a former employe of the Washington Navy Yard, for the working in one of the gun rooms of the yard on August 11, 1903.

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CAPITOL GOSSIP.

Judge Alton B. Parker spent some time around the Capitol yesterday. His pres-ence excited gossip about the sensation-al deadlock at Albany. Judge Parket sent in to the House chamber for a num ber of Democratic members, among Representative Champ Clark of Mis Representative Slayden of Texas, Representative Sulzer of New York, and others He denied that he was here on a mi

He denied that he was here on a mission relating to the Senatorship, or that political significance attached to his visit in any way.

"Do you believe William H. Sheehan will be elected Senator?" Judge Parker was asked.

"I cannot say," replied the judge.

Judge Parker said he came here primarily on business relating to the Buck Stove and Range Company case, now pending before the Supreme Court.

Three hundred newly coined silver dol-

Three hundred newly coined silver dollars were locked in the safe of the Ser-geant-at-arms of the House last night. To-day they will be turned over to Rev. Henry N. Couden, the blind chaplain of the House, as a little token that the members upon whom he invokes mony. Mr. Dodsworth referred to the "subsidy interests." He was asked to explain his meaning. Mr. Dodsworth resplain his meaning. Mr. Dodsworth replied that he had in mind steaments is a content of the pleasant little movement to give Mr. Couden this present which started the pleasant little movement to give Mr. Couden this present, which is an indication that he will remain as chaplain of the House in the Democratic Sixty-second Congress. Mr. Couden does not know the 200 new dollars are awaiting him. It is planned to surprise him when Mrs. Couden, whom he married out in Ohio twenty-five years ago, brings him to the House to-day. Speaker-to-be Champ Clark will make the presentation speech.

Representative Longworth called attention to the fact that Editor John Dodsworth appeared before the Olcott committee in New York last November and swore that he had no information of any kind whatsoever that would all the committee in its inquiry.

"Can you tell us why your brother said nothing about this \$100,000 offer?" asked Mr. Longworth.

The witness said he could not. "If I am not mistaken," interjected Chairman Olcott, "you were present when your brother was testifying, were you not?" Alfred Warren Dodsworth admitted that he was. When asked why he didnot disclose to the committee the circumstances surrounding the offer, Mr. Dodsworth said "it was not up to him bo break in on the committee."

Offer from Spanish Government.

Mr. Goldfogle paused and glared at his colleague. Things booked squally for a while. But there was no fight, Mr. Dris-coll resuming his seat and Mr. Goldfogie while

his discourse. It is estimated that not less than sever cite another case. Mr. Dodsworth replied tons of documents were brought to the that a representative of the Spanish govthat a representative of the Spanish gov- United States by officials of the Philipper of the Spanish government, who were summoned ish war, or just before it broke out, to have a colored editorial printed in the Journal of Commerce.

legislators, Jeff Davis, of Arkansas, the

Lively Colloquy in House

A giggle from the crowded gallers greeted this request for information, and the discussion went on. Neither the Vice President, but struck out with the discussion went on any of the Senators engaged in the debate paid any attention to Senator Jeff's quest for light.

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LAKES PLEA FOR CLERKS.

Representative Pearre Also Speaks

till to revise the judicial code, Repre-sentative Pearre, of Maryland, made a strong plea for the underpaid govern-ment clerks and school-teachers yester-day affernoon is the House

day afternoon in the House. Mr. Pearre said that he opposed the amendment to increase the pay of judges, hovering around this Senate

NOT OPPOSED TO TAFT.

Make Clear Their Position.

One of the Republican Senators who signed the platform of the Republican Progressive League, made public Monhas signified his intention of supporting William H. Taft for renomina Many brief speeches were made for and tion. He is Senator Norris Brown, of against the proposed salary-increase amendments, Representative Tawney, of his intentions in a letter addressed to the Minnesota, chairman of the Appropria-President. It is the understanding that tions Committee, earnestly advocated the proposed increase, declaring the salaries whatever the purposes of Senators La proposed increase, declaring the salaries time present time, and picturing the present time, and picturing the present time and picturing the league, some of its members are in no wise hostile to the Presi-

is still so regarded by the administra-tion supporters. However, Senato Brown, and likewise Senator Dixon, o Montana, it is understood, take the posi-tion that the league is in business solely for the purpose of furthering the cause o cember 31, 1919, to be 11,832,520 bales, made up of 1,040,040 bales stocks at the bests.

Mentioned to Succeed Norton. Martin Egan, editor of the Manila pointee to the office of secretary t President Taft upon the retirement of nce with public men.

Parcels Post Abandoned.

That the proposal to authorize a par-els post cannot be put into law at this ession of Congress was made manifest when Senator Penrose, chairman of the when Senator Penrose, chairman of the Committee on Post-offices and Post Roads, introduced a proposed amendment to the Post-office appropriation bill, ap-propriating \$100,000 to enable the Post-master General to "investigate and ex-periment" to determine the "lowest rate at which the Post-office Department can carry mail parcels not exceeding eleven pounds in weight." The Postmaster Gen-eral is directed to report to the next



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over the Lorimer case, and especially over the notorious "jackpot" corruption fund, which was used to bribe Illinois the Colville Indians of Wyoming sworn for of wealth, arose solemnly to a question of privilege.
"Mr. President," said he: "I would like to ask what is meant by the word 'jack-pot."

Senate.
"This is a case that has been before the Committee on Indian Affairs, of which I am a member," shouted the Arkansan, "It is a claim in the interest of Col. Gordon, of Georgia, for certain During the consideration of the Moon services he claims to have rendered for securing a large appropriation for In-North Carolina, is interested in it.

"I have seen former Senator Butlet amendment to increase the pay of judges. Inverting around this Senate chamber."

In the defect of the captered the excited Arkansan, "and I declared the excited Arkansan, "and I declar

of order of Senator Davis, but on motion of Senator McCumber the Senate pro-vided that \$100,000 of the remaining funds of the Colville Indians should be kept in the Treasury, so that the claim of Col. Gordon and Mr. Butler should not be legislated out of existence without a fur-

Changes in Classified Service. At the request of the Secretary of the Treasury, Senator Frye introduced a bill roviding that whenever, by an executive order, the President shall appoint col-lectors of customs, assistant collectors, surveyors, and naval officers of the ports, t shall be no longer necessary for cutive department to ask the advice I consent of the Senate before making anges in these offices. The legislation is believed to foreshadow an order class ifying all of these officers.

CONGRESSIONAL BRIEFS.

A plan to repair the transport Thomas and transform her from a coal horner to a gas burner, was disclosed in an amendment proposed by Sen-ator Perkins, of Childrenta, to the nary appropria-tion bill, appropriating \$100,000 for that purpose.

PHILANTHROPY.

The rich man gives ten million yen to benefit his fellow-men. And when he takes it from the bin where he has stored the shining tin, he still has heaps of gaudy plunks, and bullion lying round in chunks. Before he shuts the cellar door the bin is full and running o'er, for money's pouring in so fast the little hole he made can't last. Yet I applaud these wealthy ducks who cast abroad their silver bucks. If millionaires could only live a thousand years, they'd learn to give according to the wholesome plan that's common to the working man. I saw a man in flannel shirt, a man begrimed with grease and dirt, dig up his little wad of green to help a man he'd never seen. He gave five bones-he had but ten-to help his unknown fellow-men, and he had worked, day after day, to earn the plunks he gave away. It seems to me this working man looks big beside the million man. I'll bet recording angels wink when millionaires hand out their chink. WALT MASON.

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ROOSEVELT PLANS TRIP TO THE COAST

Will Speak at Many South- Naval Appropriation Bill ern and Western Points.

New York, Jan. 3.-President Mitchell, of the board of aldermen; Comptroller Pendergast, and Hugh Chisholm, of Lon-

ler has secured more claims and fees of this kind to be passed through the various this kind to be passed through the various committees of this Senate than any man within my knowledge, and I merely state that the fact that Senator Butler has an interest in this matter is of itself sufficient to put the Senate on guard."

The Vice President sustained the rount level the recention he got there for a succession of the senator of the senato ham on child labor. On March II, at Jackson, Miss., he will say something at the request of the governor, and beut the Senate on guard.

President sustained the point by the reception he got there four or five Senator Davis, but on motion years ago. On the same day he will ad-

March 21. He has promised Gov. John-son to speak there, and he will also speak

He will get to San Francisco on March 2. He is to give the charter day ad-tress and five Earl lectures at the Uni-cersity of California. After ten days in the region of San Francisco, he will go the region of San Francisco, he will go to Portland, Oreg., stopping at some town in Nevada. Then he will visit Seattle. Spokane, and probably Sand Point, Ida-ho, and a town in Montana, before cut-ting straight home to Oyster Bay.

CIGAR STRIKE FAILS.

After Six Months Tampa Workers Return on Old Terms.

Tampa. Fla., Jan. 35-Lasting size bacco workers in this city, embracing the cigarmakers, pickers, packers, and selectors, originally to the number of 1,000, was declared off this morning by The strikers failed to obtain a single concession from the manufacturers, and return to work without any terms.

Favors Income Tax.

Albany, Jan. 25.-Majority Leader Ro ert F. Wagner, of the senate, to-day had Jones.

Attorney General Wickersham having indexed the resolution offered by Representative Humpbery of Tavorably his Federal income tax resolutions, proposing to create a committee of unine members of the House in investigate the steamship trust. It is quite possible that the resolution will be favorably reported to the Education will be favorably reported to the Security last year.

TAFT'S SUGGESTION IGNORED BY BOARD

Carries \$125,421,538.

The House Committee on Naval Affairs has disregarded an urgent recommendation made by President Taft and Secretary of the Navy Meyer for legisla-tion permanently abolishing the Bureau velt at the National Arts Club to-day. of Equipment of the Navy Department. Later the colonel announced his itinerary This bureau was abolished temporarily for his Southern and Western trip that under the naval appropriation bill last year, as an experiment, for a period of one year, and its functions were dis-tributed among the other bureaus of the

This plan, it is said, has worked satis-actorily, and Secretary Meyer this year Inis plan, it is said, has work factorily, and Secretary Meyer t urged that the abolition of the be made permanent. Several d President Taft wrote a letter resentative Foss, chairman of the

the request of the governor, and because, the colonel says, he was touched by the reception he got there four or five years ago. On the same day he will address the Commercial Club of New Orleans.

The cattle raisers' convention will see him at San Antonio, Tex., on March 13, and the Rough Riders at Albuquerque, N. Mex., on March 15. He will scrutinize he Grand Canyon in Arizona on March 16 and 17. On the 18th he will motor from Phoenix for seventy-five miles, and in the afternoon will formally open the Roosevelt Dam. On his way back to

the afternoon will formally open the Roosevelt Dam. On his way back to Phoenix the next day he will visit his son Archie, who is in a private school at Mera. Mrs. Roosevelt and Ethel Roosevelt will be with him on this part of the journey.

Los Angeles will receive the colonel on March 21. He has promised Gov. John-March 22. He has promised Gov. John-March 22. He has promised Gov. John-March 22. He has promised He has promised He had been march 12. He has promised He had been march 13. He h bill for experiments in aviation, and the creation of a naval medical reserve corps has been authorized, similar to that ex-

isting in the army Naval Budget Passed.

Berlin, Jan. 3.-The budget con of the Reichstag has passed the extraordinary naval estimates. The chann remarked that all the ships vided for in the naval programme now in hand. tes. The chair-

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